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MOEXIPRIL MAGNESIUM

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICIAL ACTION
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AMENDMENTS & REMARKS

February 11, 2004

VIA COURIER

The Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the outstanding Official Action dated August 22, 2003 and due for response November 22, 2003, Applicant encloses a Request for a three month extension of time with the fee for a large entity of **\$950.00 U.S. funds** making this response due **February 22, 2004**. Applicant also encloses herewith a Notice of Appeal with respect to the Examiner's Final Action and the necessary fee of **\$330.00 US** for a large entity. If there is any deficiency or surplusage of the fees enclosed for the Extension of Time (fee) or Notice of Appeal, please obtain any such deficiency or credit the surplusage to Deposit Account 08-3255 and advise Applicants' Agent.